

Natural Garden Natives®

The following plant lists illustrate the varying levels of input over time, with indicators for which plant experts influenced various species choices, as well as broad plant characteristics; moist species were planted closer to the water and dry species on the upward slopes of the planting Zones.

POND PLANTS	Morton Arboretum	Jens Jensen	Enrique	MOIST	DRY	0-12"	1-3'	3-6'	6'+
	----- HEIGHTS -----								
TALL ZONE									
<i>Acorus americanus</i>		2019	2022	X			x		
<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>	X	2019	2022	X				x	
<i>Baptisia australis</i>	X	2019			X			x	
<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>		2019		X				x	
<i>Carex atherodes</i>		2019		X				x	
<i>Carex sartwellii</i>		2019		X				x	
<i>Chelone glabra</i>	X	2019		X			x		
<i>Cicuta maculata</i>		2019		X				x	
<i>Coreopsis tripteris</i>	X	2019			X				x
<i>Echinacea pallida</i>			2022		X			x	
<i>Filipendula rubra</i>	X	2019	2022	X					x
<i>Hibiscus laevis</i>			2022						x
<i>Hibiscus moscheutos</i>		2019	2022	X				x	
<i>Iris versicolor</i>		2019		X		x			
<i>Iris virginica shrevei</i>		2019		X		x			
<i>Liatris aspera</i>			2022		X			x	
<i>Liatris spicata</i>	X	2019	2022		X			x	
<i>Lobelia cardinalis</i>		2019	2022	X			x		
<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	X	2019			X			x	
<i>Panicum virgatum</i>	X	2019			X			x	
<i>Penstemon digitalis</i>			2022		X			x	
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>			2022	X			x		
<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>	X	2019			X			x	
<i>Rudbeckia laciniata</i>	X	2019		X				x	
<i>Rudbeckia subtomentosa</i>			2022		X			x	
<i>Scirpus actovirens</i>		2019		X			x		
<i>Scirpus cyperinus</i>		2019		X			x		
<i>Silphium integrifolium</i>	X	2019			X			x	
<i>Silphium perfoliatum</i>	X	2019			X				x
<i>Silphium terebinthinaceum</i>			2022		X				x
<i>Solidago patula</i>		2019		X			x		
<i>Sporobolus heterolepis</i>	X	2019			X			x	
<i>Symphyotrichum novae-angliae</i>	X	2019		X				x	
<i>Symphyotrichum puniceum</i>	X	2019		X				x	
<i>Symphyotrichum laeve</i>	X	2019			X			x	
<i>Verbena hastata</i>			2022		X			x	
<i>Vernonia fasciculata</i>	X	2019	2022		X			x	
<i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i>	X	2019	2022		X				x

POND PLANTS	Morton	Jens	Enrique	MOIST	DRY	0-12"	1-3'	3-6'	6'+
	Arboretum	Jensen					----- HEIGHTS -----		
SHORT ZONE									
Acorus americanus		2019		X			x		
Alisma subcordatum		2019		X			x		
Anemone canadensis			2022	X			x		
Angelica atropurpurea	X	2019			X		x		
Aquilegia canadensis			2022				x		
Asclepias tuberosa			2022		X			x	
Carex aquitilis		2019		X			x		
Carex bicknellii			2022	X		x			
Carex bromoides			2022		X	x			
Carex frankii			2022	X			x		
Carex lacustris		2019		X			x		
Carex retrorsa		2019		X			x		
Carex sprengeii			2022	X			x		
Carex squarrosa		2019		X			x		
Carex vulpinoidea		2019		X			x		
Chelone glabra	X	2019		X			x		
Coreopsis palmata	X	2019	2022		X		x		
Eleocharis acicularis		2019		X		x			
Elymus virginicus			2022	X			x		
Eupatriadelphus maculatus		2019	2022	X			x		
Glyceria striata		2019		X			x		
Iris versicolor		2019		X		x			
Iris virginica shrevei		2019	2022	X		x			
Juncus effusus		2019		X			x		
Leersia oryzoides		2019		X			x		
Liatris spicata	X	2019			X			x	
Lobelia cardinalis		2019	2022	X			x		
Lobelia siphilitica			2022	X				x	
Lycopus americanus		2019		X		x			
Lythrum alatum			2022	X				x	
Mertensia virginica			2022		X		x		
Mimulus ringens			2022	X			x		
Rudbeckia hirta	X	2019			X		x		
Rudbeckia triloba			2022		X		x		
Sagittaria latifolia		2019	2022	X		x			
Schizachyrium scoparium			2022		X			x	
Schoenoplectus fluvitalis		2019		X			x		
Scirpus actovirens		2019		X			x		
Scirpus cyperinus		2019		X			x		
Solidago patula		2019		X			x		
Sporobolus heterolepis	X	2019			X			x	
Symphyotricum oblongifolium			2022		X		x		
Symphyotricum laeve	X	2019			X			x	

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